

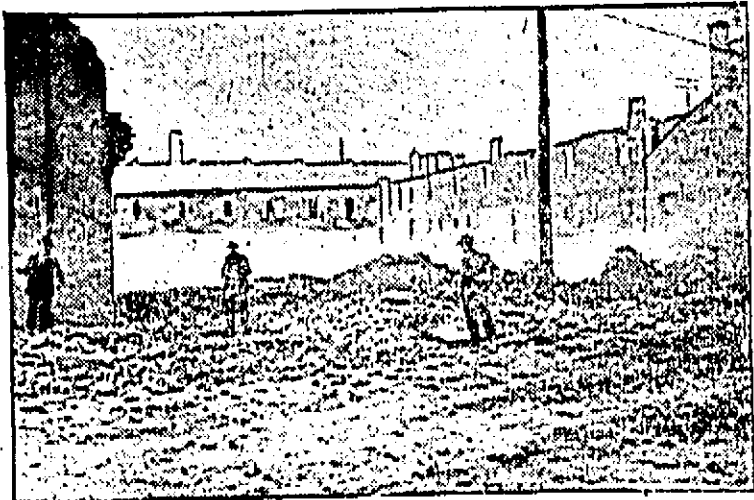
NIGHT RIDERS SHOOT AND BURN

Russellville, Kentucky, The Scene Of More Of These Outrages In Tobacco War.

MANY MEN WOUNDED BY RAIDERS

Troops Are Now On Guard At Hopkinsville To Prevent Any Recurrence Of The Trouble In That Vicinity---Warehouse Burned.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Hopkinsville, Ky., Jan. 3.—Night riders, a hundred strong, swooped down on Russellville in Logan county, early this morning, and after overpowering three policemen, dynamited and burned two independent tobacco concerns in the city.



BURNED WAREHOUSES AT HOPKINSVILLE, KY.

The property loss is about fifty thousand dollars. Troops are now on guard at Hopkinsville.

NEW OPERA SINGER COMING TO GOTHAM

Mme. Tetrazzini Sings Tomorrow For This Country, Where She Will Sing In New York City.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
New York, Jan. 3.—Made lovers of New York are awaiting with the keenest interest the coming of Mme. Tetrazzini, the new coloratura soprano, who sails from England on the Lusitania tomorrow to begin her engagement at the Manhattan opera house. Her first appearance will be made week after next in "Traviata." Already every seat in the Manhattan opera house has been sold for this performance.

But a short time ago Mme. Tetrazzini was unknown to the musical public—today she is ranked with Patti and Melba. Some competent critics even go so far as to place her above any other singer who has been heard by the present generation.

The new and dazzling star of the operatic stage is not quite 30 years old. Like the Bezzi and Caruso she has practically been her own instructor. For six months she studied under Signor Ceccherini. She made her debut in the small part of Iphigenia in "Atrideus," in her native city of Florence, and who was paid \$100 a month. Later she went to Rome, and afterward spent four years in South America. The next seven years were spent in Russia, where she met with great success.

Her first big success in a leading part was as Violetta in "Rigoletto." It was said that her performance was so realistic that a physician asked permission to examine her because he thought she was suffering from consumption. She is nervous and excitable before she appears on the stage, but after the first notes have been sung she throws herself into the part and forgets all but that.

During her recent engagements at Covent Garden she was hailed as the greatest singer heard there in years. The plaudits of London have brought her a contract for the next three years at the Manhattan opera-house in this city. It was hip and tick between the rival managers, Hammerstein and Conrad, as to who should secure the services of the new star. The manager of the Manhattan finally won out, but only after he had made an offer to the diva that hardly any one could resist. Mme. Tetrazzini will be paid \$1,500 for each of her appearances at the Manhattan opera-house this winter. During the second season, according to the terms of the contract, she will be paid \$2,000 a night, and for the third season the pay will reach the enormous sum of \$2,500 for each performance.

COLORADO'S GOVERNOR HAS CONGRATULATED HIM

High Officials of State Are Pleased With Vindication of John J. McGinnity of Denver, Brother of the Dean.

Relative to his recent vindication by Judge Lewis in the federal court of Colorado, John J. McGinnity of Denver, brother of Dean E. M. McGinnity of Janesville, has received a letter of congratulation from Governor Henry A. Daisher. Among other things the state executive says: "Of course no one credited any of the stupid charges against you or your associates. It seemed singular that the government should undertake to make such charges without any justification, whatsoever. I am heartily glad that your vindication has come so soon and so gloriously."



Tom Lawson makes his first move in endeavoring to get his new political party in running shape. Lawson has formed a new party with the intention of nominating Roosevelt for President.—News Item.

FIGHTS ALLOTMENT OF PANAMA BONDS

New York Man Seeks to Restrain Coriolanus from Turning Over Bonds to the Banks.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Washington, D. C., Jan. 3.—Considerable public interest is manifested in the hearing to take place in the District Supreme court today on the application for an injunction to restrain Secretary of the Treasury Coriolanus from turning over or delivering the balance of the \$21,450,000 of the Panama canal bonds to certain banks and persons to whom he has announced allotments.

The injunction is sought by George W. Austin of New York, who declares he made a proposal to purchase bonds of the advertised issue of the face value of \$5,000,000. He avers he had agreed to pay at the rate of 103.375 and secured interest on the bonds. He claims that the allotment of the bonds to the banks is a violation of the acceptance of his subscription and that he is ready to deposit the amount with the assistant treasurer at New York.

RAILROADS OPPOSE STATE COMMISSION

South Dakota Railroads to Fight Proposed Rate of Two and One-Half Cents a Mile.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Sioux Falls, S. D., Jan. 3.—The application of the railroads doing business in this state for a permanent injunction restraining the South Dakota railroad commission from putting into effect the proposed new schedule of passenger rates is on the docket for hearing in Judge Cleland's court today. The proposed schedule would reduce fares on all standard gauge roads from 3 to 2 1/2 cents a mile. The railroad commissioners contend that the reduction would operate to the detriment of the public, but the railroad companies declare that any such reduction will compel them to do a passenger business at a loss.

HANOVER AND GROVE PASTOR INSTALLED

With Impressive Services on Sunday, Dec. 29.—Large Things Are Expected of Rev. M. O. Puhl.

Rev. M. O. Puhl was installed as pastor of the Trinity Lutheran church at Hanover and Grove on Sunday, Dec. 29. The services were held at 10 o'clock and were most impressive. The church is a new building and the congregation is growing. The pastor is a man of high character and is expected to do much good work in the community.

William Smith Taken Sick: Atty. William Smith was taken suddenly ill last evening while on his way home from Madison, where he had been to attend Judge Cassoday's funeral. He had felt miserable all day and on the train was taken with severe pains in the back and stomach. He is much better today, but will be confined to his home for a week or so.

MANUFACTURERS OF COTTON IN MEETING

South Carolina Cotton Manufacturers' Association Holds Its Semi-Annual Meetings.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Columbia, S. C., Jan. 3.—The South Carolina Cotton Manufacturers' association, which was organized two years ago, is holding its semi-annual meeting in Columbia today with a great attendance of members. The gathering was called to order in Cravens hall this afternoon by President William A. Smith of Greenville. General trade conditions are to form the principal subject of discussion. The meeting closes with a banquet at the Colonial tonight.

OHIO LEGISLATURE CONVENES MONDAY

Members Are Already Gathering for Opening Session Which is on Monday Next.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Columbus, O., Jan. 3.—Members of the Ohio legislature are already putting in an appearance in anticipation of the opening of the session next Monday. The general sentiment expressed by those already on the ground is that the session will be marked by the transaction of much important business. The republican members of the house have arranged for a caucus tomorrow afternoon to nominate a candidate for speaker to succeed Carl A. Thompson, resigned, and to reach an agreement on other questions. E. T. Engstrom of Gormey will not doubt receive the nomination for the speakership.

WOOLGROWERS HAVE YEARLY CONVENTION

National Woolgrowers' Association Has Forty-fourth Annual Convention.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Helena, Mont., Jan. 3.—There is every indication that the forty-fourth annual convention of the National Woolgrowers' association here this month will be the largest gathering ever held by that organization. The Helena Woolgrowers' association, which bodies are cooperating in making arrangements for the entertainment of the convention, expect an attendance of fully 2500 delegates. These delegates will represent all sections of the country.

The topics scheduled for discussion by the convention cover a wide range. Tariff revision, the administration of the forest reserves, the twenty-eight hour law, the range question, scrub encroachment, and many other problems of interest to the sheepmen will receive attention. Among those who are to address the convention are Secretary of Agriculture James Wilson, Clifford Pincher, chief of the forestry bureau, and Dr. Calvin, head of the veterinary bureau of the United States Department of Agriculture.

ROOF FIRE AT THE DR. DUDLEY HOUSE

A spark from the chimney ignited the roof of Dr. R. H. Dudley's residence at 210 South Main-street about 2:30 this afternoon and burned a hole about a foot in diameter. The department responded to a still alarm and put the blaze out with chemicals.

HAS SCANDAL BEEN FOUND AT MENDOTA ASYLUM NOW?

Claim Made That Patient Was Beaten And Abused By The Attendants.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Madison, Wis., Jan. 3.—One attempt to leave the hospital at Mendota as the result of a scandal in the Mendota State Insane asylum. The Mendota is a building which was built for the purpose of getting him out of the custody of the state authorities. It is alleged he was maltreated and that he was kept in the asylum because of "religious melancholia" following financial losses. The patient was taken to a hospital at Milwaukee as the result of a scandal in the Mendota State Insane asylum. The Mendota is a building which was built for the purpose of getting him out of the custody of the state authorities. It is alleged he was maltreated and that he was kept in the asylum because of "religious melancholia" following financial losses. The patient was taken to a hospital at Milwaukee as the result of a scandal in the Mendota State Insane asylum.

COMING TWO MONTHS ARE REGARDED AS CRITICAL

Berlin Believes If Japan And Uncle Sam Keep From Fighting All Will Be Well Then.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Berlin, Jan. 3.—The next two months are regarded by the German foreign office and admiralty as constituting the critical period in the relations between United States and Japan. If they pass without witnessing a break in relations the high government relations are convinced the United States and Japan will then enter upon an easier and safer basis of agreement.

RIOTING CONTINUES WITH RENEWED VIGOR AT MUNCIE

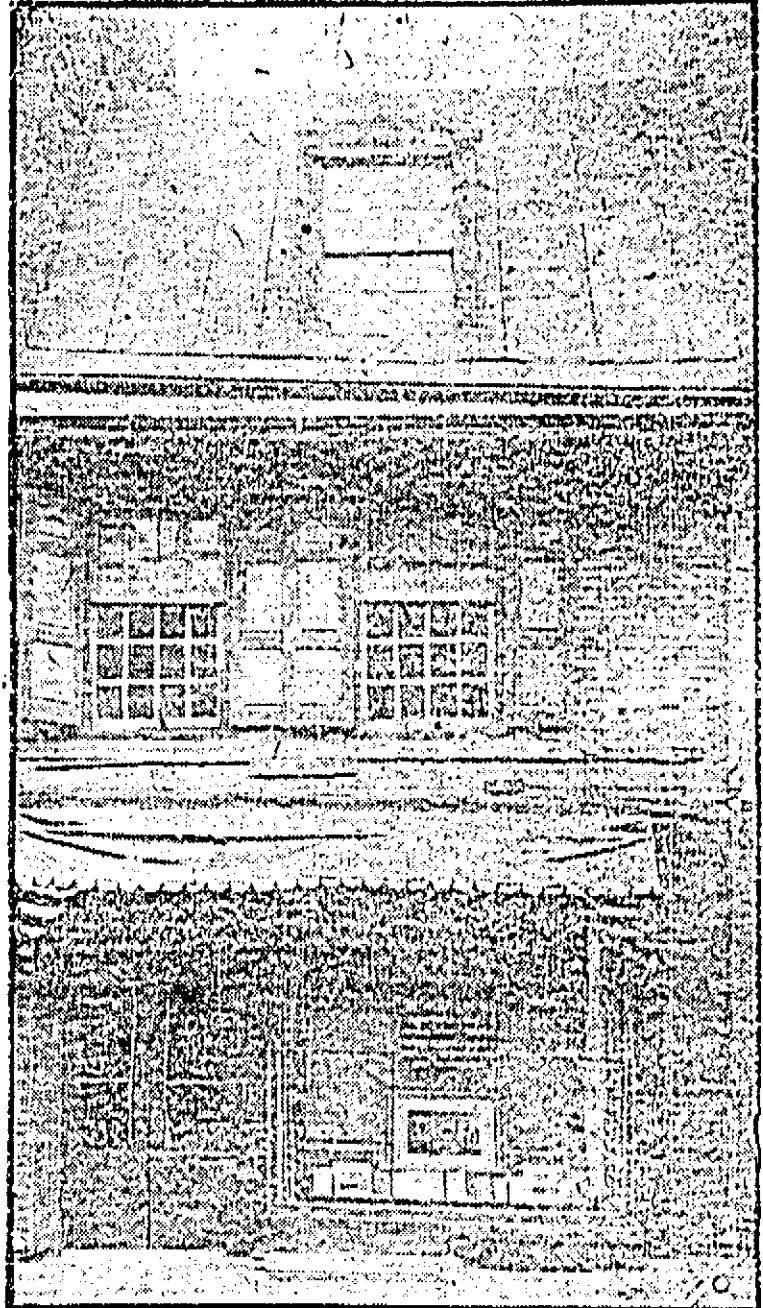
Two Cars Were Attacked And The Car Men Driven Out And Cars Demolished.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Muncie, Ind., Jan. 3.—Rioting in connection with the street railway strike was resumed today. The crowd attacked two cars in the outskirts of the city, hurling stones and other missiles and after driving off the crews completely wrecked the cars. Squads of police were hurried to the scene and over fifty arrests were made. The jail is nearly filled with strikers and two rioters were badly hurt.

EDITOR HARDEN IS FOUND GUILTY OF THE CHARGES

Must Serve Four Months Imprisonment For Libeling Count von Moltke.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Berlin, Jan. 3.—Maximilian Harden, editor of Die Zukunft, was today sentenced to four months' imprisonment on the charge of libeling Count von Moltke.



BETSEY ROSS HOUSE.

The Betsey Ross house at 219 Arch street, which has been maintained intact since it was occupied by the first American flag was designed and sold. The house has been presented to the city of Philadelphia by the American flag house and Betsey Ross Memorial association. Philadelphia council has provided for the preservation of the building and it is a money which was applied on the purchase of the building.

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WISCONSIN WEATHER FORECAST

Probably light rain or snow tonight or Saturday, warmer tonight.

GAZETTE DECEMBER CIRCULATION.

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This is a correct report of the circulation of the Janesville Daily and Semi-Weekly Gazette for December, 1907, and represents the actual number of papers printed and circulated.

J. L. HILL, Business Mgr.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of January, 1908.

JENNIE L. KENDALL, (Seal) Notary Public.

My commission expires Feb. 11, 1911.

TAYLOR'S OPPORTUNITY

Secretary Taylor is the leading republican candidate for the presidency.

The already stated committed in the most positive way to the Roosevelt policy of so using the powers of the federal government as to provide an adequate sovereignty for the great interstate corporations.

That policy in one degree or another seems bound to control the government of the United States for a long time to come. The political centralization which it involves is the inevitable outcome of the financial concentration which has been developed so rapidly in this country during the past twenty years.

That, while providing an adequate sovereignty for the interstate companies, this power should be exerted not only for the protection of the people against corporate aggression, but also for the protection of the corporations against the lynchings of capital.

Secretary Taylor has an enormous opportunity at this time in his speeches to emphasize not only the need of federal regulation of the interstate companies for the purpose of preventing corporate abuses, but also for the purpose of protecting the great rights of property upon which our American civilization depends.

The Wall Street Journal, one of the most conservative publications in the city, thus, recognizes Secretary Taylor as the leading republican candidate for 1908.

What is said concerning his opportunity to advance the protection of property rights, while attempting to regulate corporate wealth, is timely and significant.

Success for him in the convention will depend largely upon his attitude during the pre-convention campaign. Public sentiment is changing, and will continue to change, as the effects of the panic are felt, and the day has passed when trial by the atom and appeals to ignorance and prejudice, can be safely substituted for the more orderly action of the courts.

In referring to his Boston speech, the first delivered after his return from abroad, the paper both commends and criticizes.

While not holding the President in any way responsible for the panic, the paper suggests that more conservative action, on the part of the administration would have been helpful. It says:

"Certainly a year when the money markets of the world were subjected to a strain such as they had not endured before in fifteen years was a time calling for temperance of utterance and conservatism of action. Yet it was just in this year of financial strain that President Roosevelt became most strenuous in public agitation and most outspoken in his public speech."

"For this he is open to criticism. The panic of 1907 began not in October, but really in March. It has been a progressive panic, and it called for action by the administration and by financial leadership that would tend to sustain confidence and not to increase fear."

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JOHN F. DOHERTY TO GIVE LECTURE HERE

Will Lecture at Y. M. C. A. Next Tuesday on Subject, "Blazing the Way."

"Blazing the Way" is the subject taken by the Hon. John F. Doherty for his lecture to be given at the Y. M. C. A. building on next Tuesday evening under the auspices of the Carroll Council, Knights of Columbus. The lecture is rich in American history and patriotic purpose and will be of interest to all. It is complimentary to the general public.

On the 24th of this month Prof. J. C. Monaghan, late of the School of Commerce of the University of Wisconsin, will lecture on "America the Land of Unlimited Promise." Prof. Monaghan is an economist of international fame and his lecture will be of special interest in view of the fact that he has for years been connected with the diplomatic and consular service of the United States both here and in foreign countries. This lecture is also under the auspices of the Knights of Columbus and will be delivered in the same place.

A presidential year is always more or less demoralizing to business, and the outlook for 1908 is unusually disturbed on that account because of uncertainty as to the outcome. There are factions within factions, in the ranks of the two great political parties, and more than the success of an individual candidate is at stake. The best interests of the country demand conservative action, and the republican party is confronted with grave responsibility.

Banks all over the country are resuming currency payment, with more money in sight than at any time within a year or two. Confidence is gradually being restored, and the financial outlook is encouraging. Failures for January will be more numerous than a year ago because many concerns were carrying too much canvas for heavy weather.

BRIEF LOCAL NEWS.

Receives Dad-News: C. J. Schott of little city received word this morning that his mother, Mrs. Catherine Schott, who lives in Freeport, Ill., had fallen from a couch and broken her hip. As Mrs. Schott is ninety-four years old such an accident is very serious.

Some Morning Fast Walking: Strall from Janesville to Deloit in 3 hours and 12 minutes. That is the New Year's Day record of Thomas Mulquh, Edwin Joyce, George Dixon, August Krueger, Fred Brown, and William Lamm. The start was made at 3:03 o'clock and the walk was made over bad roads via the Prairie route.

MARKET REPORT

Chicago, Jan. 3.—Cattle receipts, 3000; market, steady; beefs, 3.60; 6.20; cows and heifers, 1.25; 4.00; western, 3.75; 4.60; calves, 6.25; 7.00.

Hog receipts, 28,000; market, mostly 5c higher; light, 4.20; 4.60; heavy, 4.25; 4.65; mixed, 4.35; 4.67; pigs, 3.60; 4.30; bulk of sales, 4.45; 4.50.

Sheep receipts, 6000; market, 10¢ 15¢ lower; western, 3.00; 3.15; no live, 3.00; 3.75; lambs, 1.75; 4.50.

Wheat: July—Opening, 99 1/4; high, 99 1/2; low, 98 3/4; closing, 99 1/4.

May—Opening, 1.07 1/4; high, 1.07 1/2; low, 1.06 3/4; closing,

Think This Over

There are lots of people in the city who are wearing crowns in their mouths for which they have paid an even ten dollars each.

Think all right if one couldn't do better, but when you stop to think that for exactly half that amount you may now get exactly the same work by choosing Dr. Richards for your Dentist.

It becomes a matter of simple justice to your own purse to think twice before you repeat the offense.

There are dentists in Chicago who charge \$25.00 an hour for their time. And there are others—just as good operators—that do not get half that fee.

It's all in the nerve of the Dentist how much he makes you pay him for his services.

Dr. Richards has built his present large practice upon the theory that "The best work coupled with Reasonable prices will win out in the end."

Dr. Richards says: "If you can show me a single point of superiority of these \$10 crowns over my \$5 crowns."

I would be glad to know it. I am willing to be convinced. But I declare to you,

I have compared them day after day as I see them in my patients' mouths.

And I know what I am talking about. It makes no difference whether you pay \$10 or \$5.

You get the same crown. Consult Dr. Richards and save your hard-earned money.

Offices over Hall & Bayles jewelry store, West Milwaukee St.

CLEANERS AND DYERS

Overcoats, fall and winter jackets and skirts Chemically Dry Cleaned, Dyed, Pressed, Repaired, Velvet Collars put on with short notice.

CARL F. BROCKHAUS

JANESVILLE, WIS.

THE RINK

Gray-Carter Orchestra of nine pieces New Year's afternoon and evening

ESTABLISHED 1855

—THE—

First National Bank

Capital \$125,000
Surplus and Profits \$125,000

DIRECTORS:
L. H. Carle, S. C. Cobb,
T. O. Howe, A. J. Loveloy,
G. H. Hummel, V. P. Richardson,
John G. Rofford.

52 years' record of safe banking.

Considerate treatment of customers in every branch of banking.

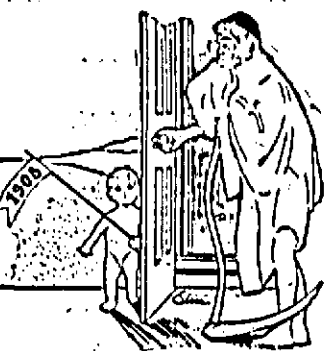
All deposits made in the Savings Department during the first ten days of January will draw interest from January 1st.

FULL MEASURE

always in buying coal—no slate or cinders to make the furnace go wrong. Makes it go lots further.

W. J. BAKER & CO.

Coal and Wood Dealers.
Office and yards N. Bluff St.
Opposite Gas Works.



The Old Year out,
The New Year in.
Good resolutions
Will soon begin.

Resolutions are all right. If we would only adhere to them, but we very often forget to put them into practice when the time comes and in this way many golden opportunities are lost. One good resolution you should make and stick to is that you will purchase nothing but the purest and best milk. We can assist you to this end by supplying your requirements with pasteurized milk.

Janesville Pure Milk Co.
GRIDLEY & CRAFT.

WAIT FOR MAN OF MYSTERY TO COME

CLAYTON INQUEST ADJOURNS UNTIL LANAUETTE ARRIVES FROM FOND DU LAC.

SMITH FOUND NO POISON

Beloit College Chemistry Professor Gives Result of His Examination of Dead Woman's Stomach.

Tomorrow promises to see the end of the Clayton murder or suicide mystery. This noon the coroner's jury adjourned until tomorrow so that P. J. Lanauette, the man in custody in Fond du Lac, can arrive and confront Frederick Clayton, alias P. J. Lanauette.

Shortly after 10 o'clock from Fond du Lac that he could not reach Janesville until midnight tonight with Lanauette, having missed connection in Fond du Lac this morning, and would have to wait for a later train.

From the adjournment taken by the jury and the request that Ben Jackson, the son of Mrs. Sarah Jackson at whose house the Claytons boarded and who claims to have seen the dead woman shortly after eight on the night of her disappearance, be summoned to give his testimony, and that Officer Tom Morrissey, who saw the woman during the evening, be summoned by the jury, indicated that they are not all decided upon the suicide theory.

Professor Erasmus G. Smith of Beloit college, this morning was the first witness called in the hearing. He explained in detail his work of analyzing the dead woman's stomach, showing that from his conclusions, drawn from a careful and exhaustive analysis, he found no traces of any poison, organic or mineral, in her stomach. He did not touch upon the liver and kidneys as he would have found traces of poison in the stomach first had they existed in the body.

Professor Smith took up his steps in detail, showing just how he arrived at his different conclusions. At one time he thought he had discovered traces of arsenic but exhaustive tests showed that he was wrong. At the conclusion Professor Smith's testimony Clayton was placed on the stand and presented his marriage certificate, showing he was married under the name of P. J. Lanauette to Maud Odell by Rev. W. R. Pierce, the Methodist minister at St. Joseph, Michigan, on September 17 last. He was not questioned and the jury after hearing from City Marshal Appleby that Sheriff Fisher could not reach Janesville with the Fond du Lac detainee, P. J. Lanauette, asked to adjourn until tomorrow at nine.

The meeting between Clayton, alias Lanauette, and the Fond du Lac Man will be interesting and upon this perhaps hinges a solution of the mystery. The Chicago Journal tonight will publish a story that the chief of Detectives of Chicago has discovered that a man named Lanauette and a woman named Maud Odell were in a room at the Hotel New York in Chicago and that Lanauette used the name of Clayton professionally; that Clayton and the woman had been working the clairvoyant racket at Paris together.

Chief O'Brien also wrote the city marshal enclosing samples of writing of an actress named Zola Clayton, thinking it might have a bearing upon the case.

GREAT COMBINATION SALE. Tomorrow the last day—Saturday, January 4th.

NEW 5c and 10c STORE.

The Bee Hive, Opening Saturday.

The Bee Hive is to be the name of the new 5c and 10c store opening Saturday at 155 East Milwaukee street.

The proprietor, Mr. John A. Shank, is a young man of genial character. He was formerly with the Marshall Field Co. of Chicago. Mr. Shank first located at Plattville, Wis., but moved to Janesville to find a larger field for his activities. The Bee Hive is a neatly arranged store, well stocked.

As you enter, on the right is shown school supplies in tablets, writing material, and some novelties in pencil boxes selling at 5c and 10c. The china and pottery are displayed on shelves, and some excellent specimens of the pottery art may be seen. Tableware in colors, of semi-porcelain, glazed, built for substantial service, is shown as well as beautiful brown glazed pottery in vases, jardiniere, etc., ranging in prices from 25c to 50c. Lamps in fancy flowerings and excellent designs in ground glass. The glassware occupy an important place on the right as you enter. Some very admirable water sets, jelly dishes, salt and pepper shakers, sauce trays, etc., are arranged neatly on shelves.

The enamel ware seems to be the special. Two-coated enamel on metal base in dish pans, sauce pans, preserves, milk pans, etc., at all prices and sizes.

One excellent novelty in tinware is shown, an egg warmer with individual cups compactly arranged and selling for 25c. Besides these a line of dry goods and children's coats are carried as well as cooking utensils of all descriptions. Good standard nickel alarm clocks at 77c.

The combination grater seems a very desirable kitchen utensil. It is of an oblong shape with four sides, each of which is arranged for different purposes. This will grate cheese, etc., will slice potatoes for frying and performs two other duties. This article will be sold at 10c.

A novelty egg heater is shown. This is worked different from the ordinary kind, the whole principle being reversed. A full line in laundry utensils in good, substantial ware, are shown, bread pans and kitchen ware, looking glasses, hand glasses and pictures, ranging in price from 5c to 45c. Some excellent designs are shown in pictures of the "pussing" and rural scenes.

Mr. Shank has been very successful as a merchant in the past and offers Janesville an opportunity of buying good goods at most reasonable prices as his connection with the big jobbers are of the best. He leaves many personal friends in Plattville which were won through good business principles and integrity.

GREAT COMBINATION SALE. Tomorrow the last day—Saturday, January 4th.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. C. D. Stevens spent Sunday and Monday in Milwaukee visiting the nurse in the convent there.

P. N. Mead and family, who have been spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Mahey, have returned to Milwaukee.

Miss Elizabeth H. Macdon will depart next Tuesday for Olympia, Washington, where she will spend the winter with her sister. She will visit a number of cities in the west on her return trip in the spring.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Trickett are here from Monroe today.

C. F. Springer of Mineral Point is transacting business here.

N. C. Kierman of Whitewater is in the city today.

Ray W. Clarke of Milton was in the city last night.

Miss Madge Burnham of Madison visited with Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Burnham on New Year's Day and was one of the out-of-town guests at the Shiloh Golf club dancing party.

Miss Annetta Farley, who has been a guest of her sister, Mrs. R. M. Vaughan, returned to her home in Wausau this afternoon.

Mrs. David Field was a visitor in Chicago.

Atty. J. J. Cunningham transacted business in Milwaukee yesterday.

Leo Atwood and Floyd Bonelson are visiting in Chicago.

Douglas McKoy returned last evening to Madison to resume his studies in the University.

Mrs. Harold Dearborn has returned to Chicago after a visit with Janesville relatives.

Harold Green has resumed his studies in Beloit College after spending the holiday vacation here.

District Attorney Frank McNamara of Sawyer county and wife are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. McNamara in Chicago.

Mrs. Harriet Parsons, who has been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Watt, departed yesterday for her home in Cleveland, Ohio.

Dr. and Mrs. Fred Sutherland, who are home for the holidays, expect to return tomorrow to Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Jeffers of Chicago attended the funeral of the late Chief Justice Cassaday in Madison yesterday. Mrs. Jeffers is a niece of the deceased.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Ruggles have returned to Chicago after a visit with Janesville relatives.

Miss Lucy Fox and Miss Ida Green have resumed their studies at Beloit College after spending the holidays in Janesville.

William McNeil, assistant manager of the Hotel Myers, has returned from a few days' visit in Ashland.

Dr. T. W. Nugum was called to Broadhead yesterday for a consultation in the case of Rufus Colton, who is critically ill with pleural pneumonia.

Walter Field, who has been spending several weeks in Janesville, departed yesterday for his home in Reno, Nevada. On his way thither he will visit with Morris Barker at Brunswick, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Jones of Marquette, La., recent guests of Mrs. Jones' sister, Mrs. J. H. Huntress, have departed for Pittsburg, where they will spend the winter with their daughter, Mrs. Harry Mehl.

Florida Oranges

35c pk.

A few more of those sweet Oranges. Order early.

Imported Swiss Cheese

Finest obtainable at 40c lb. If you are partial to Swiss cheese try this.

Genuine French Roquefort, 50c lb.

Edams at \$1.00 each.

Canadian Cream, 10c roll.

Sup. Sago, Imperial, Elsie, and N. Y.

Bananas

Fancy yellow fruit, 10-15-20c doz.

Unusually nice stock.

Imported Walnuts

Dark shell—sweet and fine flavored 13c, 2 lbs. 25c.

Grape Fruit

Heavy Florida fruit. Special value as to size, 7c, 9c and 13c.

Cal. Navel Oranges

Fancy at 20, 25, 30 and 40c dozen, and you will be pleased with the sizes we are giving at these prices.

Very fancy hard Cranberries, 2 qts. 25c.

Imported White Grapes, 10c and 15c lb.

Hawaiian fancy ripe Pineapple, 25c and 30c can.

After Dinner and Lime Mints, 10c and 25c.

Fresh Wax Beans 10c lb.

Smoked Finnan Haddie 15c lb.

DEDRICK BROS.

Mr. and Mrs. Holloway have returned to Chicago after spending the holidays in this city.

Miss Eva Turnbull, who spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Turnbull, has returned to Elgin, Ill.

Mrs. Edward Amerpohl, who recently underwent an operation at Mercy hospital for appendicitis, is reported to be getting along nicely.

After a three weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Z. Timmons, Mrs. Ben Floutright has returned to her home in Menasha, Wis.

Mrs. D. W. Watt is visiting with relatives in Chicago.

Miss Margaret Frankmeyer, who has been visiting Miss Elizabeth McKoy, returned to her home in Madison this morning.

Miss Grace Tarrant went to Chicago this morning.

John Harlow and H. Harlowing, who have been visiting him returned to Madison yesterday.

Mrs. D. Parker has returned to Janesville after spending several weeks visiting friends in Indianapolis.

Miss Minnie Sager who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Virgil Shaw, of 3 Linden Ave., has returned to her home at Koshkong.

Attention F. & A. M.

All members Janesville Lodge No. 55, F. & A. M., and all members Western Star Lodge No. 14, F. & A. M., are requested to meet at Masonic Temple tomorrow evening, Saturday, Jan. 4th, at 7:30, important business.

W. COLEMAN, W. M., 55.
I. T. MATTHEWS, W. M., 14.

LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

Connell Chamber cigars are the best. Special reductions on men's and ladies' underwear, T. P. Burns.

Use Taylor's Solvay cake.

The evening class in the Snow College will open Monday night, Jan. 6, to be run seven weeks.

Don't forget the horse racing at the Rock County Fair.

Candles fresh daily. Some exquisite creams for Saturday. Alito Ruzook.

THE Bower City Bank

Janesville, Wis.

Organized 1895

This Bank pays 3 per cent on Savings Deposits.

All deposits received on or before January 10, 1908, draw interest from January 1, 1908.

We offer every facility consistent with conservative banking. It is our business to accommodate the public.

We invite your account.

GEO. G. SUTHERLAND, Pres.
J. W. SALES, Vice President.
A. E. BINGHAM, Cashier.
H. D. MURDOCK, Asst. Cashier.

Are You Troubled

with your eyes? Spend a few minutes with my optician.

S. R. KNOX

and see if glass will help your eyes.

Your money refunded for glasses if satisfaction can not be given.

No trouble to show goods.

No goods to show trouble.

O. H. PYPER

"THE JEWELER"

58 W. Milwaukee St.

Fancy Spring Chickens

12 1-2c lb.

Sugar Cured Hams, lb. 12 1/2c

Apples, pk., 30c and 40c

Holland Cabbage, head, 5c and 7c

Potatoes, bushel, 70c

Parasips, peck, 20c

Carrots, peck, 20c

Onions, peck, 25c

Yellow and White Turnips, peck, 20c

Navel Oranges, dozen, 20c, 25c, 30c and 35c.

Grape Fruit 10c, 3 for, 25c

Jersey Butterine, lb., 10c

Holstein Butterine, lb., 18c

Cranberries 10c qt., 3 for 25c

Mulaga Grapes, lb., 15c

Sunny Monday Soap, box, \$4.25

Paul Revere Coffee, in 2-lb. cans, 25c

Fancy Smoked Halibut, lb., 20c

Dressed Herring, lb., 18c

Taylor Bros.

Insurance—for the last time this year! Calne.

St. Mary's C. C. No. 175, W. C. O. P., will give a party in Central hall Wednesday evening, Jan. 8th.

See the fair at the opera house Jan. 14th.

The largest and most complete stock of up-to-date suits and cloaks in city are now on sale at half price. See window display, T. P. Burns.

Dr. T. W. Nugum has moved his office to 125 W. Milwaukee St., he having formed a co-partnership with Dr. J. E. Pember. The firm will be known as Drs. Pember and Nugum.

Smoke tubal clear Havana Cigars. WANTED—Men for newspaper work. Apply at Gazette office Saturday afternoon.

GREAT COMBINATION SALE. Tomorrow the last day—Saturday, January 4th.

NASH

PORK, TENDERLOIN AND SPARE RIBS CHICKENS.

PRIME ROASTS OF BEEF ROASTS BEEF, VEAL, PIG, LAMB.

DID YOU TRY OUR WIENERS AND BOLOGNA. WAFER SLICING MACHINE FOR DRIED BEEF, BOILED HAM, BACON.

REGULAR HAMS 12 1/2c. SHOULDER ROAST PORK. SWIFT'S JERSEY BUTTER. 1NE 10c LB.

3 QTS. CRANBERRIES 25c. FANCY NAVEL ORANGES 15c, 20c, 25c. DOZEN.

BEST 25c COFFEE ON EARTH. BEST 50c TEA ON EARTH. QUAKER OATS 10c PKG.

25 OZ. K. C. BAKING POWDER 25c.

3-lb. CAN RICHELIEU COF. FEE, \$1.00

2 CANS PARIS CORN 25c. HOME GROWN COOKIES, DOUGHNUTS, BREAD, FRUIT CAKE AND CAKES.

LARGE SWEET PICKLES 10c DOZ.

NEW ENGLISH WALNUTS 15c LB.

4 LBS. BULK MACARONI 25c. CORNER STONE, THE BEST PATENT FLOUR ON EARTH \$1.55.

NEW SHELLED PECANS 60c LB.

BLODGETT'S OR DOTY'S BUCKWHEAT 35c.

FINE POTATOES 70c BU. GOLD MEDAL OR PILLS-BURY'S BEST \$1.55.

NEEDIT, FANCIST PATENT FLOUR, \$1.55.

MONSOON PATENT FLOUR \$1.35.

FINEST IN COFFEE, MANOR HOUSE, 38c.

BULK GRAHAM CRACKERS 10c LB.

BULK SALTED WAFERS 15c LB.

EGG BAKING POWDER. 3 PKGS. MONSOON POPPING CORN, 25c.

RUSSET, BALDWIN OR GREENING APPLES 40c PK.

2 PKGS. RICHELIEU RAISINS 25c.

3 LEWIS LYE 25c.

3 OLD DUTCH CLEANSER 25c.

WHITE MALAGA GRAPES 15c CANE SUGAR ONLY.

WALTER BAKER'S CHOCO. LATE 40c LB.

HOME RENDERED LARD. GROCERIES AND MEATS.

NASH

22 lbs. Granulated Sugar \$1.00.

GOLDEN PALACE FLOUR \$1.55 SACK.

CAL. NAVEL ORANGES 15c, 18c, 20c, 22c, 25c, 30c & 35c DOZ.

4 CANS JANESVILLE CORN 25c.

WHITE GRAPES 15c LB. TOASTED CORN FLAKES 8c PKG.

JELL-O, ALL FLAVORS, 8c.

WALNUT MEATS 35c LB.

5 LBS. MO-JA-COFFEE \$1.00.

3 PACKAGES MACARONI 25c.

TAFT'S SUPPORTERS WIN OUT IN OHIO

DIRECT PRIMARIES ON CANDI-
DATE ARE ORDERED.

DATE SELECTED IS FEB. 11

Foraker's Friends on the Republican
State Central Committee Are
Beaten by Votes
of 14 to 7.

Columbus, O., Jan. 3.—The Repub-
licans of Ohio will be given an oppor-
tunity to express by direct vote their
choice for the party's candidate for
president at primaries to be held on
February 11, when delegates and al-
ternates to the Republican state con-
vention will be elected.

The convention will be held in
Columbus on March 3 and 4 and it
will select, in addition to four dele-
gates at large to the Republican na-
tional convention, candidates for gov-
ernor and other state officers.

Taft Men Beat Forakerites.

The call for the primaries and con-
vention was adopted Thursday even-
ing by the Republican state central
committee after a protracted and liv-
ely session. The friends of William
H. Taft, secretary of war, and candi-
date for the Republican nomination
for president, were in control of the
committee, casting 14 votes to 7 for
the supporters of Senator Foraker,
also an avowed candidate for the presi-
dency.

The vote stood 14 to 7 on every
proposition which required a roll call
except the selection of a temporary
chairman for the state convention.
James H. Garfield, secretary of the in-
terior, the choice of the Taft sup-
porters, received 13 to 8 cast for Harry
M. Daugherty, of Columbus. Richard
McCloud, of London, a close personal
friend of Mr. Daugherty, but a Taft
supporter, voted for him as against
Mr. Garfield.

Officers for Convention.
The officers chosen for the state
convention are: Chairman, James H.
Garfield, Cleveland; secretary, R. M.
Switzer, Gallipolis; assistant sec-
retary, Malcolm Jennings, Athens; ser-
geant-at-arms, Richard Gilson, Stan-
benville.

The state committee decided that it
had nothing to do with the selection
of national delegates in the congres-
sional districts and declined to make
any suggestion in regard thereto.

The call as adopted provides for a
total of 816 delegates to the state con-
vention. The Australian ballot is to
be used in the primary. If petition is
made the names of candidates for
delegates may be printed under the
name of the person who may be their
choice for presidential candidate. The
rule in the election of delegates will
be observed in all except Cuyahoga
and Hamilton counties, which may
be divided into districts. Provision
is made for challengers at the
polls, which will be open from
one to seven p. m., February 11.

Taft Indorsed at Cleveland.

Cleveland, O., Jan. 3.—At a meet-
ing here Thursday the Republican con-
gressional committee of the Nineteen-
teenth district of Ohio, to make ar-
rangements for the district convention,
Secretary Taft's presidential candi-
dacy was indorsed. Congressman W.
Audrey Thomas probably will be re-
nominated. Primaries will be held
February 18 and the delegates will
meet at Warren.

Plan a Hughes Machine.
Albany, N. Y., Jan. 3.—Plans for a
state organization in the interest of
the nomination of Gov. Hughes for
president of the United States by the
Republican national convention were
made Thursday at a conference of Re-
publicans, legislators and others, at
the Kenmore hotel in this city.

State Senator Alfred H. Page, of
New York, presided, and there were
also present Congressman George E.
Waldo of Brooklyn, State Superintendent
of Prisons C. V. Collins, State Water
Commissioner John A. Slesinger,
Republican State Committeeman H. G.
Tonnant, Charles H. Young, president
of the New York Republican club, and
A. B. Humphrey, who introduced in
that club the recent resolution indor-
sing Gov. Hughes for the presidency.

Senator John Ralston of Ontario, Re-
publican leader in the senate; Super-
intendent of Public Works Frederick
C. Stevens, Speaker Wadsworth and
Senator Saxo of New York, the atti-
tude of each of whom is of special in-
terest in this connection, were none
of them present.

Wheel Tax Bill Is Signed.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 3.—The "wheel
tax bill" drafted at the invitation of
Mayor Huseo of Chicago for the pur-
pose of providing a greater revenue
for the city of Chicago and which was
recently passed by the state legisla-
ture, Thursday resolved the signature
of Gov. Davenport and becomes a law
July 1. The bill grants cities and
towns the right to adopt ordinances
for the taxing of such vehicle.

Pioneer Silk Manufacturer Dies.

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 3.—Louis M.
Givernaud, a member of the firm of
Givernaud Bros., said to be the first
to establish silk manufacturing in the
United States, died here Thursday of
heart trouble, aged 73 years.

Little Hurt by Terrible Fall.

New York, Jan. 3.—After falling 180
feet from the Blackwell island bridge
into the East river Thursday, Henry
Smith swam ashore not seriously
harm.

New York's Theatrical Business.

In a dramatic season New York city
averages 618 different plays and
changes in bills.

THE ROUNDUP COLUMN.

Willie West Talks on a Bundle of
Timely Sporting Matters.
Isn't it the irony that a man named
Pat O'Keefe should be the champion
middleweight fighter of France?

Six day bicycle races cause many
changes in anatomy. So far as the rid-
ers are concerned, the contests develop
wasp waists, or disappearing abdom-
ens, and patchwork faces that remind
one of the stokers in Mr. Danton's "In-
ferno." The spectator usually gets a
genuine rubber neck before he is



THE RIDERS' FACE
THE SPECTATOR BECOMES
A RUBBER NECK

EXPECTS OF SIX DAY BIKE RACES.
through trying to "pipe off" all that's
going on on the circular track used in
these contests. Six day races of the
present have deteriorated to such an
extent that there is not the slightest
element of sport in them. They are
merely business enterprises of the
most practical sort.

Tom Williams of the Oakland (Cal.)
race track has followed August Hel-
mont's policy of refusing to allow mes-
sengers from the track. Is this thing
of keeping a man from losing his money
on pay day consistent with the con-
stitutional guarantee of freedom?

Horse Trainer "Boots" Durnell now
holds the "ruled off" record. "Boots"
is worse off than "the man without a
country." Nobody wants him, nobody
loves him, and yet he still milks.

There is one hitchhiking that is al-
ways hanging on the outside for the
habitual race track better—the one on
the door of adversity.

At the big feed given at a famous
hotel in New York by President Char-
ley Murphy of the Chicago Nationals
much that happened is too funny to
print. In the first place, John T.
Brush sold only sweet things to
"Morty," though all the time he want-
ed to tickle him with an ear spear.
Then, Johnny Evers, Chicago's second
base star, who graduated from the
Town Land college, tackled the French
man and sat up a howl because there
wasn't any food named thereon—so far
as he could tell.

Mike Regan sprung a poem, dedi-
cated to Murphy. As a poem it's a won-
der.



JOHNNY EVERS ALMOST STARVED
TO DEATH



HANS WAGNER GOING AWAY
WITH HIS LOVING CUP

INCIDENTS AT MURPHY'S BASEBALL DIN-
NER.
der and singable to the tune of "The
Grand Old Flag," by George Cohan,
but, then, you know Mike.

It's a grand old flag
And helps Charlie to brag
About his club, the best in the world,
And certainly not fall
The turn he did call
When he hit all home in a whirl.
He is Charlie Murphy by name
And the president by fame
Of a club that makes all others
Look like dubs.
Tais off, say we, to Charlie Murphy,
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The Fighting Chance.

... By ...
ROBERT W.
CHAMBERS.

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"Camp will be furious. I simply
must cut in," said Mrs. Ferrall, hastily
turning toward the gunroom. Miss
Landis looked after her, subdued,
vaguely repentant, the consciousness
dawning upon her that she had prob-
ably made considerable conversation
about nothing.

"It's been so all day," she thought
impetuously. "I've exaggerated. I've
worked up a scene about a man whose
habits are not the slightest concern of
mine. Besides that, I've neglected
Howard shamefully!" She was walk-
ing slowly, her thoughts outstripping
her errant feet, but it seemed that
neither her thoughts nor her steps
were leading her toward the neglected
gentleman within, for presently she
found herself at the breezy veranda
door looking rather fixedly at the stars.

The stars, shining impartially upon
the just and the unjust, illuminated
the person of Seward, who sat alone,
rather limply, one knee crossed above
the other. He looked up by chance
and, seeing her star gazing in the door-
way, straightened out and rose to his
feet.

Aware of him apparently for the first
time, she stepped across the threshold,
meeting his advance halfway.
"Would you care to go down to the
rocks?" he asked. "The surf is ter-
rific."

"No—I don't think I care!"

They stood listening a moment to the
stupendous roar.

"A storm somewhere at sea," he
concluded.

"Is it very fine—the surf?"

"Very fine—and very relentless," he
laughed. "It is an unfriendly crea-
ture, the sea, you know."

She had begun to move toward the
cliffs. He fell into step beside her.
They spoke little, a word now and
then.

The perfume of the mounting sea sat-
urated the night with wild fragrances.
Down lay heavy on the lawns. She
lifted her skirts enough to clear the
grass, heedless that her silk shoe feet
were now soaking. "Then at the cliffs"
edge, as she looked down into the
white fury of the surf, the stunning
crash of the ocean saluted her.

For a long while they watched in si-
lence. Once she leaned a trifle too far
over the starlit gulf and, recoiling, in-
voluntarily steadied herself on his
arm.

"I suppose," she said, "no swimmer
could endure that battering."

"Not long."

"Would there be no chance?"

"Not one."

She bent farther outward, fascinat-
ed, stirred, by the splendid frenzy of
the breakers.

"I think," he began quietly; then
a firm hand fell over her left hand,
and, half encircled by it, she found her-
self drawn back.

Neither spoke. Two things she
was coolly aware of—that, urged,
drawn by something subtly ir-
resistible, she had leaped too far out from the
cliff and would have leaped farther
had he not taken matters into
his own keeping without apology.

"Was I in any
actual danger?" she asked curiously.

"I think not. But it was too much
responsibility for me."

"You know! Don't! It is unfair—it
is so faithless to me. I am your
friend. Why not? Does it make any
difference to you when I marry? If
such a friendship as ours is to become
worth anything to you—to me—why
should it trouble you that I know and
am thinking of things that concern
you? Is it because the confidence is
one-sided? Is it because you have
given and I have listened and given
nothing in return to balance the ac-
count? I do give interest—deep inter-
est, sympathy if you ask it; I give
confidence in return if you desire it."

"What can a girl like you need of
sympathy?" he said, smiling.

"You don't know, you don't know!
If heredity is a dark vista and if you
must stare through it all your life,
sword in hand, always on your guard,
do you think you are the only one?"

"Are you—one?" he said incredu-
lously.

"Yes," with an involuntary shudder,
"not that way. It is easier for me. I
think it is. I know it is. But there
are things to combat—impulses, a
recklessness, perhaps something al-
most ruthless. What else I do not
know, for I have never experienced
violent emotions of any sort—never
even deep emotion."

"You are in love?"

"Yes, thoroughly," she added, with
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"I'm sorry—"

"Are you?"

"I ought to be anyway," he said.

It was unfortunate. An utterly in-
excusable laughter seemed to bewitch
them, hovering always close to his lips
and hers.

"How can you laugh!" she said.

"I know. Any time I wish to break
my neck I am to please do it alone in
future."

"Exactly—if you don't mind," he
said, smiling.

They turned, shoulder to shoulder,
walking back through the drenched
herbage.

"That," she said impulsively, "is not
what I said a few moments ago to a
woman."

"I said, Mr. Seward, that I would
not leave a certain man to go to the
devil alone!"

"Do you know any man who is go-
ing to the devil?"

"Do you?" she asked, letting herself
go swinging out upon a tide of intima-
cy she had never dreamed of risking,
nor had she the slightest idea whether
the current would carry her.

They had stopped on the lawn, ankle
deep in wet grass, the stars overhead
sparkling magnificently and in their
eyes the outburst of the sea.

"You mean me," he concluded.

"Do I?"

He looked up into the lovely face,
her eyes were very sweet, very clear,
clear with excitement, but very friendly.

"Let us sit here on the steps a little
while, will you?" she asked.

So he found a place beside her one
step lower, and she leaned forward,
elbows on knees, rounded white chin
in her palms, the starlight giving her
brow and shoulders a marble lustre
and tinting her eyes a deeper
amethyst.

And now, indelicately unthoughted, mis-
taken and all, she laid her hand quite
bare—one clasp of it. And, like other
women errant who believe in the
influence of their sex individually and
collectively, she began wrong by talk-
ing him of her unguessed perhaps to
emphasize her pure disinterestedness
in a crusade for principle only.

So it was when she was most im-
pudent, most earnestly inspired—nay,
in the very midst of a plea for sweet-
ness and light and simple living—that
his reasonings found voice in the mat-
terial comment:

"I never imagined you were en-
gaged!"

"Of course you didn't. You'd known
me for about three hours—there on the
cliff!"

"But—Quarrier?"

Over his youthful face a sudden shad-
ow had fallen—dickering, not yet set-
tled. He would not for anything on
earth have talked freely to the woman
destined to be Quarrier's wife. He
had talked too much anyway. Some-
thing in her, something about her, had
loosened his tongue. He had made a
plain ass of himself, that was all—a
garrulous ass. And truly it seemed
that the girl beside him, even in the
starlight, could follow and divine what
he had scarcely expressed to himself,
or her instincts had taken a shorter
cut to forestall his own conclusion.

"Don't think the things you are
thinking!" she said in a fierce little
voice, leaning toward him.

"What do you mean?" he asked,
taken aback.

"You know! Don't! It is unfair—it
is so faithless to me. I am your
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THE NEWS CONDENSED.

Curtis Guild, Jr., was inaugurated
for a third term as governor of Massa-
chusetts.

St. Anne's Orphans' home at Ter-
re Haute, Ind., was burned, but the 180
children were saved.

James G. Stowe, former consul gen-
eral to South Africa and a well-known
manufacturer, died in Kansas City.

Phillip F. Kramer of Portland, Ore.,
a locomotive engineer employed on
the Isthmian canal, was murdered by
robbers.

Secretary Metcalf announced that
Capt. J. E. Pillsbury had been selected
as chief of the navigation bureau of
the navy department.

Ray Howard, 12 years old, was sen-
tenced to eight years in the peniten-
tiary for the murder of Martha
Piercy at Des Moines, Ia.

During the calendar year 1907 the
bureau of navigation reports 1,059 ves-
sels of 602,508 gross tons built and
specifically numbered in the United
States, compared with 1,046 vessels
of 593,291 tons in 1906.

The vaudeville war was finally con-
cluded when George Middleton, presi-
dent of the Western Vaudeville asso-
ciation, and his associates signed an
agreement to take over Gela & Op-
penheim's theaters in Kansas City,
Milwaukee and Louisville and the
new theater being built at St. Louis.

QUEER MARRIAGE IN IOWA.
Husband and Wife Attend Wedding of
Son and Daughter.

Waterloo, Ia., Jan. 3.—A most po-
pular marriage took place here Thurs-
day evening when a husband and wife
attended the wedding of their son and
daughter, both under age. The con-
tracting parties were Arthur Goettel,
aged 19, and Nettie Delaney, aged 16.

The groom is a son of S. Goettel
by a former marriage, and the bride is
the legally adopted daughter of Mrs.
Goettel No. 2. The elder Goettels were
married eight years ago.

"If your shoes are as wet as my
skirts and slippers you had better
change, Mr. Seward," she said, paus-
ing at the foot of the staircase.

So he took his coxswain, leaving her
standing there with Quarrier and
mouthing to his room.

In the corridor he passed Ferrall,
who had finished his business corre-
spondence and was returning to the
bedroom.

"Here's a letter that Grace wants
you to see," he said. "Read it before
you turn in, Stephen."

"All right, but I'll be down later,"
replied Seward, passing on, the letter
in his hand. Entering his room, he
kicked off his wet pumps and found
dry ones; then moved about, whistling
a gay air from some recent vaudeville,
lucky with rough towels and slippers
footgear, until, refreshed and dry, he was
ready to descend once more.

The encounter, the suddenly inform-
al acquaintance with this young girl,
had stirred him agreeably, leaving a
slight exhilaration. Even her engage-
ment to Quarrier added a tinge of mal-
ice to his interest. Besides, he was
young enough to feel the flattery of
her concern for him.

Perhaps, as like recognizes like, he
recognized in her the instincts of the
born dropper momentarily at anchor—
the temporary inertia of the opportu-
nist, the latent capacity of an unform-
ed character for all things and any-
thing. Add to these her few years,
her beauty and the wholesome igno-
rance so confidently acknowledged,
what man could remain unconcerned,
uninterested, in the development of
such possibilities? Not Seward, amu-
sed by her sagacious and impulsive
prudence, worldliness and innocence in
accepting Quarrier and touched by her
profitless, frank and unworldly friend-
liness for himself.

(To be Continued.)

A Cup of Blessing.
Never lose an opportunity of see-
ing anything beautiful. Welcome it
in every face, every fair sky, every
flower, and thank him for it who
is the fountain of all loveliness, and
drink it simply and earnestly with all
your eyes; it is a charmed draught, a
cup of blessing.—Charles Kingsley.

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other good buildings. Well in yard,
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Ladies' Black Cloaks, worth \$17.00, for.....	8.50	Ladies' Brown Cloaks, worth \$30.00, for.....	15.00	
Ladies' Black Cloaks, worth \$20.00, for.....	10.00	Ladies' Navy Cloaks, worth \$11.50, for.....	5.75	
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BOYS' FLEECE UNION SUITS, always 50c, all sizes to fit boys 4 to 16 years.....**39c**
MEN'S \$1.50 NEGLIGEE SHIRTS, coat style, cuffs attached or detached. Clearing sale price.....**\$1.00**
MEN'S LAUNDERED BOSOM SHIRTS, coat style, cuffs attached, regular \$1.50 shirts.....**68c**

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